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Andrew J. Dodson, Senior Reports Analyst
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Re: I.D. Number C00122101

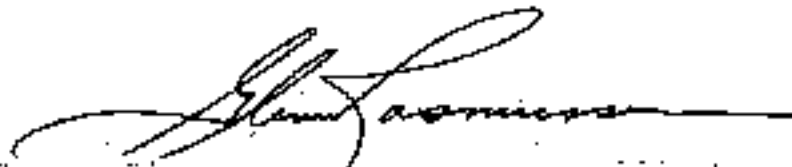
Dear Mr. Dodson:

I am responding to your letter of April 15, 1998 in regard to our mid year and year end 1997 reports. As you know, I am the new treasurer of this PAC. While I did not prepare the subject reports, I have looked them over and note deficiencies as regards name of employer and occupation.

Enclosed are three examples of solicitations that were used by the Committee in 1997. As you can see, each of the forms asks for the name, address and occupation and two of the forms additionally have a note in regard to the FEC requirements. Since I was not involved, I do not know what the committee did as far as following up with a written or oral request for contributor information that was lacking. In any event, I hope that the committee may be considered to have put forth its "best efforts" in regard to 1997. I plan to have the 1998 solicitation forms changed so that there is a provision on the form requesting the name of the employer as well as the occupation of the contributor. Also, I plan to see that a follow-up form is designed and printed which may be sent out to the contributors that do not provide all of the required information the first time around.

Based on the information I have supplied and my commitment to see that things are done better in the future, I respectfully request that you accept the 1997 reports on a "best efforts" basis.

Yours very truly,



Glenn Rasmussen, Treasurer

GR/kg
CC: Bill Scoble
Gloria Erickson
Enclosures



Sponsored by Safari Club International Political Action Committee

The Grand Slam Sheep Hunt includes:

HUNTS TO TAKE PLACE IN 1998

- Desert Bighorn with Carlos Hermosillo
- Stone Sheep with Dave Wiens, Stone Mountain Safaris

HUNTS TO TAKE PLACE IN 1999

- Rocky Mountain Bighorn with Gordon Utri
- Dall Sheep with Chris Branham
- All airfares including charters from major US airports
- Taxidermy by Tommy Elias's Hunter-Fisher Taxidermists (Lifesize or shoulder mounts)

Not Included:

State license and tag fees as required, except in Mexico. Accommodations before and after hunts. Any additional trophies taken and related costs other than the Grand Slam.

PURCHASE YOUR TICKET(S) EARLY!!

This phenomenal hunt will sell out quickly! Winner need not be present. Drawing to be made at the 1998 SCI National Convention in Reno, Nevada.

THE HUNT of a LIFETIME IV Grand Slam North American Sheep Rocky Mountain • Desert • Stone • Dall

Thanks for continuing to support your Safari Club International Political Action Committee. Through your generous support our PAC has become a MAJOR NATIONAL FORCE in Washington, protecting our hunting heritage. Together we are making a difference. Make no mistake, we have not won the war, only the last battles. If we want to win this struggle we must maintain our financial commitment. The Federal Government requires that the occupation be listed for those persons contributing to a Political Action Fund. No corporations or foreign checks can be accepted.

THE HUNT of a LIFETIME IV
Grand Slam North American Sheep
Rocky Mountain • Desert • Stone • Dall
Only 1,000 Raffle Tickets at \$250.00 Each

SCI-PAC FILM OFFER HUNT OF A LIFETIME I (Big 5 Hunting Africa)

Join Professional Hunter Johnny Vivier and the Big Five Hunter Andy Anderson on the HUNT OF A LIFETIME I. This exciting 60 minute video shows all Big 5 taken plus much more. A great film.

Grand Slam North American Sheep & Film Order Form

Name _____ Occupation _____

Address _____

City _____ State _____ Zip _____ Phone () _____

Please send _____ Raffle Tickets at \$200 each _____

Please send _____ Big Five video at \$29.95 each _____

(Include \$3.50 shipping and handling per film ordered by check or money order)

No corporation or foreign checks allowed Total _____

MASTERCARD OR VISA ORDERS ACCEPTED BY MAIL OR FAX AT 702-735-8900

☐ MasterCard ☐ Visa Acct. Number _____ Exp. Date _____

Signature _____

(\$3.50 shipping and handling will be added to film orders). To comply with postal regulations, this drawing will be open to all who request in writing. The above information required by federal law.

Send to: Bill Scoble, SCI-PAC • 2215 Geronimo Way, Las Vegas, NV 89109 • Call: Bill Scoble - 702-735-8443 or 702-293-7008

Outfitters: Dave Wiens, Stone Mountain Safaris, Box 7870, Toad River, Canada V0C 2X0 (250) 232-5469
Gordon Utri, Whispering Pine Outfitters, Danvers Alberta, Canada T0E 0L0 (403) 727-3782
Carlos G. Hermosillo, Sausalas 44, Mexico, D.F. 14330, Mexico City, Mexico 011 (525) 671-2311
Chris Branham, Branham Adventures
Tom Elias, Hunter-Fisher Taxidermist, 822 West International, Anchorage, AK (907) 561-1466

Safari Club International - Political Action Committee

**2215 Geronimo Way
Las Vegas, Nevada 89109**

HUNT OF A LIFETIME IV GRAND SLAM OF NORTH AMERICAN SHEEP

Dear Safari Club International Member:

Once again I am writing to solicit your help for your SCI-PAC, *Safari Club International - Political Action Committee*. SCI-PAC is an independent entity of SCI, as dictated by Federal Law. Everyone in the hunting community understands the importance of our PAC. SCI-PAC allows us the opportunity to help elect congressional representatives who support those issues that are so important to all sportsmen and sportswomen in the United States.

Through your generous support, SCI-PAC has become a real force in Washington, D.C. *We are now among the top 10% of all PAC's in the Capitol.* SCI-PAC supports the members of the Congressional Sportsmen's Caucus (with members in both the House and Senate) which is the largest ad-hoc caucus on the Hill. As a result, Congress is acting positively on behalf of the sporting community and in the best interest of our wildlife. Make no mistake, we have not won the war, only the last battle. If we want to win this struggle, we must continue our financial commitment. SCI-PAC is our major means to accomplish this.

We need your financial support now. Enclosed is an entry form and information for our latest *Hunt of a Lifetime IV Raffle, The Grand Slam of North American Sheep*, featuring some of the world's finest outfitter/guides. Please purchase one or more tickets, and ask your hunting friends to do the same. Great odds to win one of the greatest hunting adventures ever offered. **Only 1000 tickets will be sold for \$250 each. Any donation will be helpful!!!**

Please write your check today. We have a choice! Pull together and protect the future of hunting. The anti-hunting forces are raising large amounts of money to take your rights away. The Sierra Club alone spent over 7.5 million dollars on TV in 1996 to defeat anti-environmental members of Congress and promised more in the future. If we lose our right to enjoy the sport of hunting, we have no one to blame but ourselves. It is true, we either stand together, or we fall apart. Thank you in advance for helping to protect hunting by financially helping your SCI-PAC.

Your in hunting,



Bill Scoble
SCI-PAC Trustee

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PHONE 702-735-8443
FAX 702-735-8900

Safari Club International - Political Action Committee DONATION FORM

Thanks for continuing to support SAFARI CLUB INTERNATIONAL POLITICAL ACTION COMMITTEE. Your support of SCI-PAC is extremely important. SCI-PAC can make a difference with those political candidates who respect the ideals that we hold so dear.

Please use the form below in making a most important contribution to SCI-PAC. Only 1000 tickets are available for \$250 each. You can place your order for a **HUNT OF A LIFETIME TV, GRAND SLAM OF NORTH AMERICAN SHEEP 1997** raffle ticket...or you can make a general donation to the SCI-PAC fund.

NAME _____

ADDRESS _____

CITY _____ STATE _____ ZIP _____

PHONE _____ OCCUPATION _____

_____ TICKETS AT \$250 EACH TOTAL _____

_____ GENERAL DONATION (any amount will make a difference!!) TOTAL _____

GRAND TOTAL _____

MAKE CHECK PAYABLE TO SCI-PAC, OR YOU MAY PAY BY M/C OR VISA.

MASTER CARD OR VISA CARD ORDERS CAN BE ACCEPTED BY MAIL OR FAX.

M/C _____ Visa _____ Acct Number _____ Exp _____

Signature _____

SEND COMPLETED FORM TO:

Bill Seoble
SCI-PAC Trustee
2215 Geronimo Way
Las Vegas, NV 89109

PHONE: (702) 735-8443


FAX: (702) 735-8900

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